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Subject: RE: Question on the Hydrocodone Combination Public Comment Docket

Anita,
Point well taken. I also sent a message to Kristina Toliver, the woman
whose name was listed asking for a docket extension and a new date for the
meeting so we could plan for it and haven't heard anything. I am copying
this to others I know who are scheduled to speak to see if anyone has heard
about FDA's plans?
Best,
Cindy

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Connor'; 'Tiller, Kimberley'; 'Timothy Byrne'; 'Tina Tockarshewsky'; 'Tom
O'Donnell'; 'Valerie Volpe'; 'Wade Delk'; 'Whitney Englander'; 'Windy Y.
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Subject: Question on the Hydrocodone Combination Public Comment Docket

Dear Pain Care Forum Members,

As you know, FDA postponed the meeting on hydrocodone combination products due to the hurricane. The FR notice announcing the meeting had also indicated that they would open a public docket to provide written comments. Although not a requirement for such meetings, FDA's usual practice is to keep the docket open for about a week or so after such meetings (we appreciate this practice since it provides an opportunity to clarify any points made at the meeting that may have been confusing or in error).

This docket was set to close next Tuesday, Nov. 6 see:
<http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2012-06-08/pdf/2012-13868.pdf>

In light of the meeting postponement, I've contacted FDA to find out if they intend to keep the docket open until after the new meeting date, or if it will still close for written comments on Nov. 6 as originally planned.

I haven't heard back from FDA, not surprising given the confusion over the hurricane. However, Nov. 6 is rapidly approaching. If anyone else has looked into this and can share any information, I'd really appreciate it.

Thank you.

Anita

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